HOVNANIAN ENTERPRISES INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HOVNANIAN ARA K					r Name an	d Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
TIO VIVILIAN MANAK				Symbol HOVN [HOV]	ANIAN I	ENTERPRISES INC	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10 HIGHWAY 35			Middle)	3. Date o	f Earliest T	ransaction	_X_ Director		0% Owner	
				(Month/I 06/07/2	Day/Year) 2005		X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO			
(Street)				4. If Ame	endment, D	ate Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
				Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
RED BANK, NJ 07701							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)			(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq			quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
	1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deem	ied	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
	Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution	Date, if	Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)		Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3) any			any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
(Mont			(Month/D	av/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership	

(City)	(State)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	luired, Disposed (of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	06/07/2005		S	5,100	D	\$ 62	1,994,900 (1)	I	Held as trustee of the KSH 2004 GRAT in which Reporting Person has a potential remainder interest
Class A Common	06/07/2005		S	100	D	\$ 62.04	1,994,800 (1)	I	Held as trustee of

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Stock						the KSH 2004 GRAT in which Reporting Person has a potential remainder interest
Class A Common 06/07/2005 Stock	S	200 D	\$ 62.05	1,994,600 <u>(1)</u>	I	Held as trustee of the KSH 2004 GRAT in which Reporting Person has a potential remainder interest
Class A Common Stock				1,530,420 (2)	D	
Class A Common Stock				236,346 (2)	I	Held by the Ara K. Hovnanian 2004 GRAT
Class A Common Stock				33,060	I	Held by estate of son Alton
Class A Common Stock				13,974	I	Held by son Alexander
Class A Common Stock				6,700	I	Held by daughter Serena
Class A Common Stock				16,700	I	Held by wife
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each	class of securities b	peneficially owned	directly or	indirectly.		
				ond to the colle		SEC 1474 (9-02)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
rg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
HOVNANIAN ARA K 10 HIGHWAY 35	X	X	President and CEO					
RED BANK, NJ 07701								

Signatures

Nancy A.

Marrazzo

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the

 (1) inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (2) Since the reporting person's last report, 13,654 shares previously held through the Ara K. Hovnanian GRAT have been distributed and are now owned directly.

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